IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	Application of:	
Chikamasa YAMASHITA et al.		Group Art Unit: 1616
Application No.: 10/538,781		Examiner: James Henry, Alstrum
Filed:	June 10, 2005) Acevedo)
For:	FREEZE-DRIED INTERFERON-γ COMPOSITION FOR TRANSPULMONARY ADMINISTRATION AND INHALATION SYSTEM THEREFOR	Confirmation No. 9421
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450		

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action of October 21, 2008. A fee of \$1,110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: April 21, 2009

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